

TAFT ADVOCATES PREPAREDNESS

Former President Illustrates Necessity and Details Means to End

SPEAKS AT EXPOSITION

Asserts Germany's Acceptance of U. S. Terms Should Cause Profound Rejoicing

ESTIMATE PREPARATION COST

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—William Howard Taft advocated preparedness for war today, illustrated its necessity and detailed the means to that end, in an address at the Panama-Pacific exposition delivered at "Taft Day" exercises.

A silver loving cup was presented to him by exposition officials.

Should Cause Rejoicing.

The acquiescence of Germany in this country's contention for the rights of non-combatant citizens on commercial liners of belligerents "should be the cause of profound rejoicing by every patriotic American and the occasion for congratulations to the president," said Mr. Taft.

"The very recent news from Washington," the former president continued, "shows that the firm attitude of President Wilson in maintaining the rights of our non-combatant citizens on commercial liners of belligerents shall be safe from drowning without warning and an opportunity for rescue, has been acquiesced in by Germany.

"This must and should be the cause of profound rejoicing by every patriotic American and the occasion for congratulations to the president.

"It must relieve the strain between the two countries. The shadow of a serious breach passes.

Should Be Reasonably Prepared.

"It should not, however, lead our people away from their duty of reasonable preparation. The incident, though closed, as we all hope, except as to indemnity for the lives of those already drowned shows how near as neutrals, we are to war. It shows that we must be careful to insist upon our rights as such as that we ought to be reasonably prepared to defend against their invasion by any belligerent power."

After outlining the naval and military preparations which he considered it necessary for this country to make, Mr. Taft estimated what the preparations would cost, indicated how the money might be raised and made a plea for the exclusion of politicians from the question of preparedness and for the employment of expert advice.

Sums Up Necessary Preparations.

In summing what he regarded as necessary preparations, he said:

"First an increase of our navy tonnage as rapidly as possible by thirty per cent and an immediate increase of the personnel of the navy by nearly 20,000 sailors and 900 officers.

"Second, an increase in ammunition for our great coast defense guns, the making of a few 16 inch guns and the completion of the defense of Chesapeake and Cape Henry. In addition an increase of 10,000 trained coast artillerymen and 600 officers to man the coast defenses properly.

"Third, an increase in our regular mobile army of 50,000 troops and a quadrupling of the supply of educated military officers. We should also adopt the enlistment with induction of the organization of trained men.

Will Increase Appropriations.

"The program I have proposed," he said, "modest as it is will certainly increase the annual total of the army and navy appropriations by \$150,000,000—perhaps \$150,000,000 for each of three years and probably more."

"This leaves \$225,000,000 at least, of necessary income to be provided for by new legislation of congress over and above what existing law probably would produce. This could be made up partly by the renewal of the war tax and of the sugar tax, yielding say \$125,000,000. There would be left from \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 of a deficit still to be provided, either by cutting down expenses or by additional taxation."

Suggests Way to Cut Expenses.

Mr. Taft suggested that expenses could be cut down by giving authority and responsibility to one body of men to consider the whole field of government income and expenditure.

A large sum, he said, would under any circumstances have to be raised by taxation. As a Republican he said, he believed that a change of policy to a higher protective tariff would serve most satisfactorily, but that he would not urge it because:

"I am trying to make practical suggestions and not a partisan speech and I am looking to what may reasonably be demanded of a patriotic congress in view of the present imperative need of increasing our national income."

"The imposition of a small tax on small incomes asks a sacrifice from our patriotic citizens that they will

SHERMAN LAUDS WILSON AND RAPS ROOSEVELT

SENATOR SPEAKS AT "HOMECOMING" CELEBRATION AT ROCHESTER

Praises Policy of President in Dealing With International Questions—States People Should Be Non-Partisan in Present Situation.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 2.—In a speech at a "homecoming" celebration at Rochester, Illinois, today, United States Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman, a candidate for the Republican nomination for president in 1916, praised the policy of President Wilson in dealing with international questions, and denounced the utterances of former President Roosevelt relative to the administration.

"The affairs of this country," declared Senator Sherman, "have been conducted in such a manner that all possibility of trouble with any of the belligerent European nations has been removed."

Continuing Senator Sherman said:

"I am not a member of the Democratic party and have no affiliations with that party. President Wilson is not a Republican and I am not a Democrat, but I am an American. As a voter in the United States senate I shall stand behind Wilson as long as he takes the stand that he has taken between the United States and Germany. The people should be non-partisan in a situation of this kind."

"No partisan politics should be thought of in connection with this situation and any political party that tries to make this issue a part of its platform should and will fail."

"When President Wilson speaks the American people speak through him."

"I would rather that President Wilson should talk through Secretary Lansing for weeks and months than to be here asking young boys to leave their mothers for the trenches."

"Happily when the nations get through talking there will be a better code of laws to govern nations when they are at war. They have been 'acting' in Europe for over a year and the longer they act the worse it gets. Here, the longer President Wilson talks, the better conditions become. I'd rather talk than fight any day."

"If I can avoid these things by asking I don't care if there is someone in Oyster Bay who wants to fight. I'll agree with the president as long as his policy is the same as it is now regarding war with another nation. God speed our president to go on talking and keep us at peace."

CONVENTION ADVANCES TWO PROPOSALS OVER BARNES' PROTEST

New York, Sept. 2.—William Barnes in the New York constitutional convention today protested against the adoption of proposals designed to bring occupational diseases under the workmen's compensation act and to permit the legislature to regulate or prohibit manufacturing in tenement houses. Both proposals were advanced to the order of final passage by overwhelming majorities.

"If it is the Republican position to follow out the program of Socio-logical legislation outlined by Samuel Gompers," he shouted, "then it is not the Republican party of which I have ever had knowledge and is not the party to which I belong."

AMMONIA TANK EXPLODES; ONE MAN IS FATALY BURNED

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—One man was fatally burned, three were overcome and more than 100 diners at a downtown restaurant fled in panic tonight when an ammonia tank, connected with an ice plant, exploded. Firemen braved the fumes to rescue those overcome, all of whom were employees. The plant had just been installed and it is believed the men were unacquainted with its operation.

EXPLOSION INJURES TWO.

Waukegan, Wis., Sept. 2.—An explosion today during experiments to find a process of manufacturing potash caused injuries which may prove fatal to Dr. Frederick C. Gillen, 919 New Hall street, prominent physician, and may result in the loss of both eyes to his brother, William H. Gillen, an contractor. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

BERLIN OFFICIAL CIRCLES TREAT NEGOTIATIONS AS CONFIDENTIAL

Highest Officials Are Not Adverse to Admitting That They Regard Situation With Optimism.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 2.—Official circles in Berlin treat the negotiations now in progress with the United States on the submarine problem as highly confidential and this makes it most difficult to obtain any official information or to transmit the views held in various quarters. The highest officials, nevertheless, are not adverse to admitting that they regard the situation with optimism, an optimism based on knowledge of the instructions which have been issued and the developments here with probably will facilitate the task of negotiations. Count Van Bernstorff, the German ambassador at Washington, it is understood, is in possession of a fairly wide-reaching authority to negotiate for a settlement of the submarine question and it is believed the proposals he is authorized to make will strike at the heart of the problem as affecting the United States.

SEVERAL HUNDRED JOIN STRIKERS.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Several hundred men employed in the construction of the new plant of the Remington Arms company at Edgewood, today, joined the strikers who walked out earlier in the week to enforce demands for high wages and recognition of their union, according to officials of the building trades council of this city.

PONTIFF PRAISES WILSON'S ATTITUDE

Cardinal Gibbons Delivers Message from Pope to President Wilson

CALLS ON LANSING

Prelate Speaks Cheerfully, Saying Prospect for Peace Seems to Be Brightening

PRESIDENT IS MUCH PLEASED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Cardinal Gibbons came to Washington today with a message of hope for peace in Europe to President Wilson from Pope Benedict. It was a cablegram praising the president's attitude and indicating a belief that the United States might be in a position to help in bringing the European war to an end.

Speaks Cheerfully of Situation.

After reading the message, the Cardinal remained for half an hour with the president discussing the possibility of peace and the world situation generally. He emerged smiling and walked over to the state department for a conference with Secretary Lansing. He spoke cheerfully of the situation, saying the prospects for peace seemed to be brightening.

The text of the pope's message was not made public nor was there any formal comment on it from the white house. Officially however, it was said the president was much pleased with the message and with the interview. It was understood that the pope made no definite suggestion as to a peace movement and that his message was purely a personal one to President Wilson and not addressed to the heads of other neutral governments.

Suggests Joint Action for Peace.

Joint action for peace among the heads of several neutral nations and the Pope was suggested as a possible outcome of today's developments but this idea received no official confirmation. Up to the present the United States has acted entirely alone in the single offer it has made to be of service in bringing about peace.

Diplomats representing the belligerent nations reserved comment on the conference until more definite information has been given out.

It was pointed out that many political questions, including the maintenance of the neutrality of the Balkans and the establishment of a separate Polish kingdom would be involved in the discussion of peace at this time.

Offer Still Stands Open.

The president's offer of the services of the United States to the belligerents still stands open and he has reiterated several times that he had been willing to do everything possible in that direction. Whether he will take any further steps without hearing directly from any of the powers involved has not been made clear.

Three Hundred Boats in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Commodore James A. Pugh of the Chicago Yacht Club, who with Mayor William Hale Thompson, also an enthusiastic yachtsman, has been active in promoting and working out the plan to build up a naval force from yachtsmen and power boat owners declared tonight there were fully 300 boats in Chicago harbor alone the owners and crews of which would be available enter such a reserve.

"Any one competent to handle a craft on the Great Lakes is well qualified as a sailor in any waters," Commodore Pugh said.

"The crews of the yachts hereabouts are all first class able seamen and so are the majority of the men who own the craft. They are of the kind of men the navy needs and would provide a force that would need little training—none at all in practical seamanship."

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRAILS NEARLY COMPLETE

Quincy, Mass., Sept. 2.—Arrangements for the official trials next month of the Battleship Nevada now nearly completed at the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation yards here, were announced today.

The Nevada is of 27,500 tons displacement and carries ten 14-inch, twenty 5-inch rifles and four 20-inch submerged torpedo tubes. She is similar to the New York in armament, although 500 tons larger.

STATES VON THIRPITZ WILL RESIGN

London, Sept. 2.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegram company says it is reported that Admiral Von Thirpitz, the German minister of marine, will resign and will be succeeded by Admiral Von Pohl, now chief of the admiralty staff and commander of the German battle fleet.

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ANNOUNCE PLAN FOR NEW NAVAL RESERVE

CONTemplates Mobilization of YACHTSMEN AND BOAT OWNERS

Body Would be in Addition to Regular Naval Reserve—Acting Secretary Roosevelt of Navy Department Gives Out Statement.

Washington, Sept. 2.—A plan for the building up of an adequate national naval reserve in addition to the existing national guard and the regular naval reserve created by the last congress was made public today by Acting Secretary Roosevelt of the navy department. It contemplates the mobilization of yachtsmen and power boat owners and their craft with navy reserve ships in a training squadron.

The statement says plans have been under consideration for some time for definite organization of the elements outside of the regular naval reserve and upon which the navy should be able to draw in emergencies.

The statement says:

Particularly Desires Individuals.

"It is believed the reserve should total 50,000 officers and men. What is particularly desired is not merely numbers, but individuals who will be capable of doing the highly specialized service which exists in modern navies.

"For instance, in war time the navy would need services of possibly 1,000 additional radio operators, who would require local pilots for inland waters, helmsmen, gunners, gasoline motor experts, signallers, etc., besides of course, first class seamen.

"If the general plan is approved, it is hoped that next summer courses of instruction can be started, using reserve or other available ships and giving to those who desire, three or four weeks of training so that they could become of some definite use if called upon.

"Any amateur radio operator, any yachtsman, or motor boat enthusiast, in fact, any citizen with intelligence and application could learn how to fit into some place where he might be needed. Possibly some form of certificate could be given at the close of instruction showing exactly what services the individual is capable of performing, the holder to be under no further obligation than to keep the navy department at stated periods informed of his address.

Need Small, Fast Yachts.

"Steps already have been taken to organize the merchant shipping but much remains to be done. Modern naval operations have shown the great need of a large number of small and fast yachts and motor boats of a type as seaworthy as possible. It will be possible in connection with the training of volunteer civilians to list all suitable vessels and their crews in the duties that would be expected. This training would be given in conjunction with the use of naval vessels in the summer time and would be in charge of regular officers."

Six Mexicans Show Fight.

Lieutenant Faulkner, who commanded the detachment, reported that the automobile trucks bearing the Americans was traveling along the Old Alice stage coach road when the Mexicans were seen. Called upon to halt, six of the band showed fight, using an irrigation canal as a trench, while ten made a quick escape down the canal. Five of the six finally escaped leaving their dead.

Following a flight this afternoon, Lieutenant Joseph C. Morrow, pilot, with Lieutenant B. Q. Jones as observer, reported that United States cavalry and infantry were well disposed throughout the section in which they are believed to be from fifty to sixty Mexican bandits. Further fighting was expected momentarily.

At the Fresno canal the bandits yesterday fired probably a score of shots at Perry Clark, an American clearing contractor, but none took effect.

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CONSUMERS WILL REAP NONE OF PROFITS ACCRUING TO IMPORTERS

In Many Instances Profits have Been Greatly Reduced by Advances in Price in Europe.

New York, Sept. 2.—The man who buys his goods over the counter will not reap a cent of the big profits accruing to importers, because of the prevailing depression in foreign money and foreign exchange rates, it was said here today and in many instances profits that would otherwise have accrued to the importers themselves have been greatly reduced by corresponding advances in price on the other side of the Atlantic.

Because of low exchange rates, it has been possible to importers here to pay their bills ahead at discounts varying from five to seven percent on goods bought in England to as much as 26 percent on goods purchased in Italy. A great many importers, it was said, had seized this



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MY ATTEND CHURCH SUPPER AT CHAPIN

Annual Chicken Fry Held on Christian Church Lawn Thursday Evening.

Ninety chickens and 25 pounds of catfish were prepared for the annual chicken and fish fry of the Chapin Christian church Thursday and the hundreds of people who attended, declared the feast to be of the highest quality. A number went from the city by train, though cars and autos took many more.

The Rev. L. Hadaway, pastor of the church, was among those in charge and other members of the church who helped direct the work.

Work were Charles Williams, H. C. Brownlow, John Griffith, Mrs. Walter Bobbitt, Mrs. Holiday, Mrs. McNamee Bridgman and Wilbur Williams.

The first event of the day was dinner and shortly after noonday a crowd numbering two hundred and fifty was fed. The general fund of the church will receive the proceeds of the dinner and supper.

SCHOOL BOOKS. Bargain Book Store.

MEDICAL-DENTAL SOCIETIES

TO ATTEND BLACK FUNERAL

Members of the Morgan County Medical society will meet at the medical library at 1:30 p.m., sharp, Friday, to join the Dental society for the purpose of attending the funeral of Dr. G. V. Black in a body.

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The New York Times Annalist Index Number on wholesale prices of 25 leading articles of food for the second week in August, 1915, was 145.17, compared with 139 for the second week in August, 1913, under Republican law. The Index Number for the year 1914 was 146.07 compared with 139.98 for the year 1913.

Though the people of this country undoubtedly want a permanent, non-partisan tariff commission they don't want it appointed by a Democratic president who will select a majority of its members from among men who are opposed to a scientific protective tariff. They want a tariff commission created by the friends of the protection principle. They want it to ascertain the facts and submit those facts to congress for its guidance in determining the amount of duty necessary to give the American wage earner adequate protection from the cheap labor of foreign countries. They want a tariff commission not subservient to the White House but acting in its own right and according to its own judgment under authority of law definitely prescribing its powers and duties. They want a commission governed by law and under no obligations to a Democratic president who opposes the principle of a protective tariff.

The Greatest of All Crops. Never in the history of our country was there such a crop as that which has just been harvested, or is now ripening for the harvest. Never we think, in all the history of all the world was any nation so blessed with bountiful yields, with bursting plenty.

How eloquent these items are, as taken from the latest government estimates: Corn, 2,920,000,000, against 2,672,804,000, last year, an increase of about 250,000,000 bushels; wheat, 966,000,000 bushels, an increase of 75,000,000 over last year's banner crop; oats, 1,400,000,000 bushels, an increase of 260,000,000 bushels.

We will have four million tons of hay above the 1914 mowing and there will be twenty-five million more bushels of potatoes in the great American bin. All down the line the story is the same, with perhaps the single exception of apples.

With a prospect for fair prices for most products, if America does not have a record-breaking prosperity during the next twelve months, we will have to abandon the theory that "good crops mean good times."

Farm Life.

Taft Believes in Greater Defenses. In an address delivered yesterday at the Panama-Pacific exposition Former President Taft gave further proof of the fair minded spirit and patriotism which have marked his course. He gave unstinted praise to President Wilson for the firm course followed in demands on Germany made for the rights of non-combatant citizens.

Then Mr. Taft made an argument for greater preparedness in the United States urging an increase of the navy tonnage by 30 per cent, at least 20,000 more sailors and 900 officers; more ammunition for coast defense guns together with 10,000 trained coast artillerymen to man the guns, and the needed officers, an increase in the army.

In discussing ways and means of raising the funds for such increase Mr. Taft declared that anyone who thought the average American citizen with a small income would object to a tax for defense purposes misjudged his countrymen.

"Let us exclude politics from this question of preparedness", the speaker said. "Let us accept the cost. Let us insist that congress and the administration manifest the courage to incur the odium of unthinking and unpatriotic men who would resent contributing to such a cause. Let us insist that congress and the administration shall defer to the judgment of real expert naval and army officers and boards as to how we should prepare and shall not allow the dangerous little knowledge of committee chairmen and civilian politicians, ignorant of our needs to obstruct the work of proper national defense."

Community Civics. "Community civics helps the child to know the meaning of his community life, not merely a lot of facts about it", says a bulletin just issued by the U. S. Bureau of Education. This bulletin was prepared by four members of the committee on Social studies of the National Education Association—Dr. J. Lynn Barnard, School of Pedagogy, Philadelphia; F. W. Carrier, principal of Wilmington (Mass.) high school; Arthur W. Dunn, specialist in civic education, U. S. Bureau of Education; and Clarence D. Kingsley, of the Massachusetts board of education.

The authors of the bulletin make clear that the term "citizenship" is used broadly. The "good citizen", they say, "is a person who habitually conducts himself with proper regard for the welfare of the com-

munity of which he is a member, and is active and intelligent in his cooperation with his fellow members to that end."

Community civics, according to the bulletin, should be taught in the elementary grades of the public schools and should be continued in a more comprehensive course in the first year of the high school. "Many pupils do not enter high school at all, and those who do should already have begun to acquire habits of civic thought and action. The greater maturity of the high school pupil makes possible the development of phases of the subject that are impracticable in the elementary school."

"Many courses in civics fail", the authors think, "because they fix attention upon the machinery of government rather than upon the elements of community welfare for which government exists. They familiarize the pupil with the manipulation of the social machinery without showing him the importance of the social ends for which this machinery exists. A lesson in community civics is not complete unless it leaves with the pupil a sense of his responsibility, and results in right action. To attain these ends is perhaps the most difficult and delicate task of the teacher."

Farmers' Railroad to be sold.

The last chapter in the spectacular history of the Atlantic and Southern Railroad, built by the Iowa farmers to create competition and a reduction in freight and passenger rates, is about to be written. The line will be sold for junk. The rails and ties will probably be taken up and transferred to Arkansas for use on a small railroad in that state. The stations will be sold to anyone who will buy them and the right of way will revert to the farmers along the route, who originally donated most of it to the railroad.

Not a wheel has been turned on any portion of the road since Jan. 1. Two years ago, after passing through receivership, the line was sold at auction and was purchased by the firm which had furnished the cross ties. This firm operated the road for eighteen months, but lost money every month and closed down entirely with the opening of this year.

The Atlantic & Southern was unique among railroads. It is 35 miles long and was completed Jan. 1, 1911, after a spectacular building race for a prize of \$50,000, which was to be paid conditional upon the completion of the road upon that date.

During the last month of construction, the work was carried on day and night, electric lights being strung along the line. The job was completed with only a few hours to spare, and the first rain to pass from end to end arrived at the terminal within less than one hour of the last moment possible for it to do so and yet win the prize.

The little road was built in large part by farmers. Not only did they finance the deal, but they performed most of the work. Every spare hour a farmer had, he drove over to the line and put his horses and himself to work. Sometimes he was paid in actual cash, but for the most part the farmer workers were paid in stock in the road.

The Question of Economy.

Election day will be Tuesday, Sept. 21, just two weeks from next Tuesday. The campaign will be brief and there is no need for a great amount of discussion for everybody understands the issue. The question is: Shall Jacksonville turn backward and embrace the form of government which was in force before the new state law made possible the adoption of the commission form?

In many cities the centralization of power and responsibility through the commission form, has been attended with an increase in the efficiency of public service. In Galveston, Des Moines and other cities the plan resulted in economies and improvements. The officers elected in these cities seemed to feel a greater responsibility than had their predecessors under the old form and transacted city business on the same principle they would follow in the conduct of a corporation's affairs.

While here Mr. Maurer consulted with E. J. Howells, manager of the Bell Telephone company relative to placing the telephone system. If plans previously made are carried out there will be a telephone in every room.

FRESH OYSTERS. BARR & HUFFMAN.

TOOK SPECIAL COURSES.

Misses Elizabeth and Ella Newmann arrived at home Thursday from Chicago, where they spent three months attending the University of Chicago. Miss Elizabeth took a special course along educational lines and Miss Ella a special course in domestic science. Finishing their studies the young ladies made short visits with their brothers, James Ellis Newman at St. Paul, and Ward Newman at Virginia, Minn.

At the later place which is a city of approximately 11,000 population are the largest lumber mills in the world. There are two mills with a combined capacity of 500 million feet of lumber per annum, and which are now turning out about one million feet per day.

SCHOOL BOOKS. Bargain Book Store.

RETURN FROM NORTHERN TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newman and daughter, Miss Mary Louise arrived at home Wednesday night from a six week's trip in the north. They visited their son, J. Ellis Newman, and family at St. Paul, and saw the grandson, and then went to Virginia, Minn., and enjoyed a visit with their son, Ward Newman. Both of the sons are managers of Woolworth stores which are conducted on lines similar to those employed in the Woolworth store in this city. While in Minnesota they say a heavy hear frost, which resembled a light fall of snow.

WHIPPLE ACADEMY.

Whipple Academy, the preparatory department of Illinois college, prepares boys and girls for all the best colleges and universities of the country and also trains them for the practical work of life.

The school has always been distinguished for its high standard of scholarship. For information call on Principal C. H. Givens or President C. H. Ramelkamp, both phones 454. Registration Sept. 20 and 21.

MORTUARY

Price.

Charles Price received a message Thursday announcing the death of his brother, David L. Price, at his home in New Castle, Pa. Mr. Price left Thursday evening for Newcastle to attend the funeral.

Deceased was 74 years of age at the time of death. Death was unexpected as he had been ill but a few days. He is survived by three brothers, Charles Price of this city, George Price of Richmond, Ind., and M. V. Price of Dayton, Ohio.

Blanchard.

Mrs. Henry Engel received a telegram Thursday night, announcing the death of Mrs. M. J. Blanchard of Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Blanchard was a niece of Mrs. Engel who with her daughter, Katie, will leave Friday to attend the funeral which will be held at Kansas City Sunday.

Chicken and Fish Fry at Merritt Friday. Plenty to eat. Everybody come. Supper served at 4 p.m.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Elizabeth Duxster is reported critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Grimmett 237 East Oak street.

Mrs. W. A. Wyatt who has been a patient at Passavant hospital was sufficiently recovered to go to her home in White Hall yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Rochester who for the past five weeks has been a patient at the Home Sanitarium, is convalescing after a surgical operation and went to her home in Nortonville Thursday.

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CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The South Side Embroidery club will meet this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. C. M. Sharp on West Lafayette avenue.

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The Missionary Society of Central Christian church will meet at the church Friday, Sept. 3. Topic, "Service With Life". Mrs. Jennie Moore will have charge of the program. This is the last meeting of the missionary year and each member is urged to be present.

WORK PROGRESSING ON NEW PLAZA HOTEL.

Work is being carried forward rapidly in the remodelling of the new Plaza hotel. Mr. McCabe of Springfield has completed the tile floor in the office and Joseph DeGouveia, the contractor, had workmen setting the main stair case Thursday.

Gus Maurer and George Bettinghaus representing the Reisch company were here Thursday and took up several matters of interest. It was decided to add the six rooms in the second floor of the building which was occupied as an office by Mr. Vieira to the hotel. This building adjoins the hotel on the west and a door will be cut through the wall from the second floor. All of these rooms will be equipped with bath. W. M. Ballard of the Ballard and Johnson company who have leased the restaurant privileges of the hotel was here also looking over the ground. He is ordering his furniture for the room.

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At the later place which is a city of approximately 11,000 population are the largest lumber mills in the world. There are two mills with a combined capacity of 500 million feet of lumber per annum, and which are now turning out about one million feet per day.

SCHOOL BOOKS. Bargain Book Store.

RETURN FROM NORTHERN TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newman and daughter, Miss Mary Louise arrived at home Wednesday night from a six week's trip in the north. They visited their son, J. Ellis Newman, and family at St. Paul, and saw the grandson, and then went to Virginia, Minn., and enjoyed a visit with their son, Ward Newman. Both of the sons are managers of Woolworth stores which are conducted on lines similar to those employed in the Woolworth store in this city. While in Minnesota they say a heavy hear frost, which resembled a light fall of snow.

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Whipple Academy, the preparatory department of Illinois college, prepares boys and girls for all the best colleges and universities of the country and also trains them for the practical work of life. The school has always been distinguished for its high standard of scholarship. For information call on Principal C. H. Givens or President C. H. Ramelkamp, both phones 454. Registration Sept. 20 and 21.

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CITY AND COUNTY

J. N. Osborne of Murrayville paid the city a visit yesterday. John Magill of Sullivan is in the city for a visit with relatives. William Crum was in from Literberry yesterday on business. R. W. Stratton of Chicago was in the city yesterday on business. Mrs. T. J. White of Woodson was a visitor in the city Thursday. J. J. Beatty of Fairview was a Jacksonville visitor Thursday. Mrs. G. W. Reese of Bluff was shopping in the city yesterday. Miss Mary Ausman of Plasgaw was a shopper in the city Thursday. George C. Olinger of Franklin was a caller on city people yesterday. Miss Araldene Gottschall was a city shopper yesterday from Franklin.

Mrs. Myers of Manchester was among the city shoppers yesterday. R. A. Branson of Winchester spent Thursday in the city on business.

O. C. Coulas of Scott county was in the city on business Thursday.

Henry Sally, a cigar maker, is out again after an illness of a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Odin of Ashland were trading in the city yesterday.

Miss Lucille Mason of Alexander spent Thursday in the city shopping.

Mrs. Alice Titus of Concord was a shopper in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. A. H. Fox of Roodhouse was among Thursday visitors in the city.

Benjamin D. Cade of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Ol. Dickinson of Scott county was a visitor in Jacksonville Thursday.

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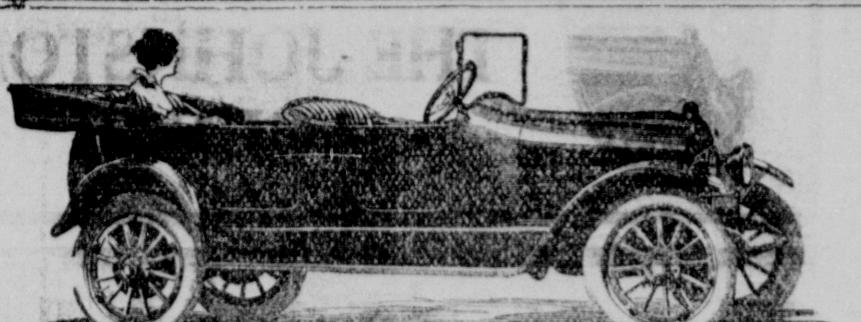
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William F. Roegge of Meredosia was an auto visitor in the city yesterday.

H. S. Rayborn was a visitor yesterday in the neighborhood of Sinclair.

Miss Edith Nicols of Woodson was among the shoppers in the city Thursday.

Dr. J. W. Eckman of Winchester was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss Iva Brown has returned from a week's visit with friends in New Berlin.

Miss Ruth Patterson of Delaware, Ohio, was a Thursday visitor in Jacksonville.

Miss Minerva Estes of Winchester made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

John Schleiter of Springfield was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

Chester Wilson of Sinclair was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Luke Mandeville of Woodson was transacting business in the city yesterday.

George H. Hall of Alexander was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

J. L. Cosner of Virginia was in the city yesterday attending to business.

Frank Vittee of Scott county was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Howard Van Dyke of Murphysboro was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Norman Wilbanks of Petersburg had a business to transact in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. S. Horton and daughter were city shoppers yesterday from Beardstown.

E. S. Coombs of Carthage was attending to business in Jacksonville yesterday.

J. W. Clancy of Havana was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. P. Gazette of the vicinity of Barry was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Doolin of the region of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Ima Groves of Mound avenue is enjoying a vacation visit with relatives in Franklin.

Mrs. Kate Hubbard and son, Paul, of Roodhouse, were shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Ozella Duckwell of Lynnville was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

Miss Dorothy Sargent of Franklin was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Strawn and Mrs. C. M. Strawn were in the city yesterday from Alexander.

Frank E. Drury of the vicinity of Orleans was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret English visited her friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roach of Concord, yesterday.

Miss Kathryn Estes of Winchester is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Markillie of South East street.

Mrs. Samuel Allen of Literberry was added to the list of city shoppers in the city yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Brewer and daughter Florence represented Lynnville in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. Samuel Bailey and daughter, Ruby, were among Winchester visitors in the city yesterday.

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J. A. Cole and Porter of Peru, Ind., were numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. P. Morris, wife of Dr. A. B. Morris of St. Louis was calling on friends in Jacksonville Thursday.

John Fury of Joy Prairie has gone to Sangamon county, for a few days' visit with his grandparents.

Misses Nell and Rose Quigg of West North street have gone to Virginia to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. L. B. James left yesterday for her home in San Antonio, Tex.,

after a stay of several weeks in the city.

Mrs. Jessie Wilson of Alexander went to Oakford yesterday for a visit with her brother, Scott Patterson.

Mr. W. J. Murray and sons Leo and William were in the city yesterday from the south part of the country.

Mrs. A. A. Gebhart and daughters, Margaret and Barbara have returned from an extended stay in Denver.

Miss Mary Treadway after a visit with Miss Alberta Quigg on West North street has gone to her home in Virginia.

Mrs. Alice Titus and daughter of Concord were among the ladies doing fall shopping in Jacksonville Thursday.

Misses Viola and Laura Huff have returned from Salem, where they were guests of their father and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Andrews and Mrs. Henry Yates have returned from their summer outing at Waupaca, Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. A. Reynolds and son Allen were over from Perry yesterday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Daniels of Arenzville are guests at the home of his mother, Mrs. Abigail Butts, in Manchester.

Miss Minnie Doolin of Murrayville was among the arrivals in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Claude Vall of West North street has gone for a visit at the home of her brother, Claud Hamilton in Greenfield.

Mrs. Julian Hall of Diamond court is at home after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gates, in Virden.

W. C. Rigg has moved his works from the southeast corner of the square to the Frost building at the northeast corner.

Mrs. W. E. Reid and son, William, Jr., of Decatur are in the city for a visit with the family of G. A. Sieber and other relatives.

H. W. Lampton of Muskogee, Okla., representing a Texas Land company has ended his vacation and is again in the city.

Wilbur E. Keenan of Alexander was in the city yesterday in his new Studebaker car. He was accompanied by Mrs. Keenan.

Mrs. Mary O'Connell and her sister Mrs. John Burkery were visitors in Murrayville Thursday, the trip being made by automobile.

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GRAND JURY RETURNS NO INDICTMENTS IN FRANK CASE

Reports that it is unable to find enough evidence to indict anyone.

Marietta, Ga., Sept. 2.—The Cobb county grand jury reported late today that it had been unable to find enough evidence after a two days' examination of witnesses to indict any one for the lynching of Lee M. Frank. The report stated:

"We have investigated the information furnished us by officers and other parties and have followed up letters, signed and unsigned and to this end we have subpoenaed and examined many witnesses in an effort to disclose the perpetrators of this crime but none of these witnesses gave any evidence."

Upwards of 35 witnesses were examined yesterday and today. They included the chief of police and other citizens of Atlanta and persons in every walk of life in Marietta. Anonymous letters referred to in the report still are being received by officials of Cobb county and others but the tendency is to ignore them. Marietta is not in the frenzied state of turmoil that has been pictured said Solicitor Clay today.

Jacksonville circuit, James Mahon.

West Jacksonville circuit, James Allan.

Saturday forenoon at 8:30 o'clock the laymen will attend the services at First M. E. church and hear Bishop W. F. McDowell. At the Congregational church they will be led in devotion by Judge Isaac Love of Danville and addressed by G. S. Tarbox of Arcola on the subject, "The Country Church and How to Help It". The laymen will listen to a temperance address by R. A. VanFossen, assistant superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league. This will be followed by reports of the secretary and treasurer and the various committees, the election of officers and adjournment.

DR. HARKER'S CANDIDACY. Dr. Joseph R. Harker's name has been mentioned as one of the eight lay delegates to be sent from the Illinois conference to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in May, 1916, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Illinois conference sent nine ministerial and nine lay delegates to the last quadrennial conference, but a slight falling off in membership reduces this number to eight of each.

Unknown to Dr. Harker, friends of his in the Jacksonville district, have prepared circular letters, endorsed by local laymen, electing, asking support for the Harker candidacy from all parts of the conference.

Dr. Harker is the only member of the Illinois conference, either minister or layman, who belongs to one of the church boards, holding membership in the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal church. At the last quadrennial he wrote a large part of the report of the general committee on education, though not officially connected with the committee.

THE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION. Following is the program of the Laymen's association which meets the day before the laymen's electoral conference:

Thursday afternoon—
1:30 Opening Service—By Henry Jenne, Caldwell.
1:45 Address of Welcome—John S. Barber, Springfield.
Response—Benjamin F. Kagey, LaPlace.
2:00 Remarks by President of Association—James W. Breckon, Palmyra.

Appointment of Committees.

2:15 Address, The Laymen's Call—C. C. Grimmel, Palmyra.

2:30 Reports of Vice-Presidents.

3:00 Address, The Laymen's Association—Its Possibilities and Opportunities—Professor F. M. Austin, Bloomington.

3:13 Every Member Canvas. (a)

How It Works in the City Churches—T. V. Hopper, Jacksonville. (b)

How It Works in the Rural Churches—Joseph Smith, Auburn.

At First Methodist Church—

4:00 Address by Rev. Harris Franklin Rall, D. D. Evanston.

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SIXTEEN CIVIL WAR GENERALS STILL LIVING.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The general officers of the federal army who served during the civil war are now reduced to 4 of the 132 major generals and 12 of the 446 brigadier generals. Following are the names and addresses of the survivors.

Major Generals.

Grenville M. Dodge, Council Bluffs, Ia.
Nelson A. Miles, Washington, D. C.
Peter J. Osterhaus, Duisburg, Germany.
James H. Wilson, Wilmington, Del.

Brigadier Generals.

C. C. Andrews, St. Paul, Minn.
John R. Brooke, Rosemont, Pa.
Seldon Connor, Augusta, Me.
Lewis A. Grant, Minneapolis, Minn.
David M. Gregg, Reading, Pa.
M. D. Hardin, Chicago, Ill.
F. S. Nickerson, Somerville, Mass.
Chas. J. Paine, Boston, Mass.
Galusha Pennypacker, Philadelphia, Pa.
Byron R. Pierce, Grand Rapids, Mich.
William A. Seward, Albany, N. Y.
William S. Medford, Oregon.

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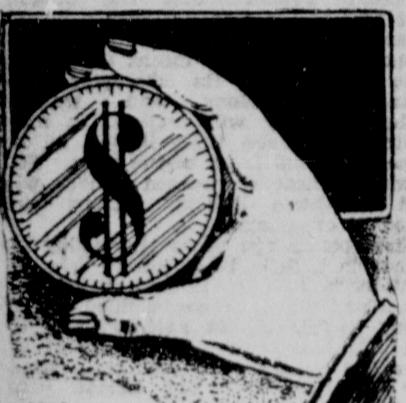
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SOX LOSE FINAL GAME ON THE DETROIT FIELD

CHICAGO GOES TO PIECES WHEN TIGERS START TO HIT.

Cobb's Hitting is Noteworthy—Result of Series Eliminates Sox From any Possible Consideration as a Pennant Contender.

Detroit, Sept. 2.—Chicago lost its final 1915 game on the Detroit field today 8 to 6. As in several previous contests, Chicago went to pieces when the Tigers started to hit, giving an awful exhibition of klecking bunts and throwing the ball away. Cobb's hitting was noteworthy. The result of the series just ended of which Detroit made a clean sweep eliminated Chicago from any possible consideration as a pennant contender.

Chicago: AB. R. H. P. A. E. Murphy, rf ... 5 2 3 1 0 0 J. Collins, 1b ... 4 1 2 7 3 0 E. Collins, 2b ... 3 0 0 5 3 0 Jackson, c ... 5 1 1 1 2 0 Leibold, If ... 3 0 0 3 0 0 Weaver, ss ... 4 0 1 4 2 1 Johns, 3b ... 4 1 0 2 2 0 Mayer, c ... 4 0 1 3 1 0 Russell, p ... 3 1 0 1 0 0 Davis, p ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 Felsch, x ... 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals ... 36 6 10 24 14 3 x-batted for Davis in 9th. Detroit AB. R. H. P. A. E. Vitt, 3b ... 4 1 2 0 1 0 Bush, ss ... 4 1 1 2 3 0 Cobb, cf ... 4 1 3 1 0 1 Crawford, rf ... 4 0 2 2 0 0 Veach, If ... 4 1 1 7 1 0 Burns, 1b ... 4 1 1 7 1 0 Young, 2b ... 2 1 0 3 1 0 Stanage, c ... 4 1 1 4 1 1 James, p ... 3 1 1 1 0 0 Oldham, p ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 Totals ... 33 8 12 27 8 2 Score by innings: Chicago 200 000 202—6 Detroit 141 010 10x—8

Summary.

Two base hits—Vitt, Burns, Weaver, Russell. Three base hits—Murphy, J. Collins (2); Jackson. Sacrifice hit—J. Collins. Double plays—Veach and Stanage; Johns, J. Collins and Weaver. Bases on balls—off James 3; Russell 1; Davis 1. Hits off James 3; Russell 1; Davis 1. Hits off James 8 in 2-3 innings; off Oldham 2 in 2-3 innings; off Russell 12 in 7 innings; off Davis 6 in 1 inning. Struckout—by Oldham 2; Davis 1. Umpires—Evans and Chill. Time—1:43.

Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 3.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Boston hit Knowlson's delivery hard today and easily defeated Philadelphia 8 to 3. Ruth was in trouble several times but he was saved by the brilliant fielding of Hooper.

Score: R. H. E. Boston ... 100 300 310—8 14 3 Philadelphia 000 102 000—3 7 1 Ruth and Cadby; Knowlson and Lapp.

St. Louis, 4; Cleveland, 2.

St. Louis, Sept. 2.—St. Louis went into sixth place by defeating Cleveland today 4 to 2. Jones was driven from the box after the locals had scored four runs off two singles, two doubles, a pass and a wild pitch. Two wild throws prevented Lowdermilk from scoring a shutout.

Score: R. H. E. Cleveland ... 100 010 000—2 6 1 St. Louis ... 400 000 00x—4 6 3 Jones, Breton and O'Neill; Lowdermilk and Seived.

New York, 1; Washington, 0.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Shawkey emerged victor over Harper in a pitching duel here today. New York defeating Washington by 1 to 0.

Score: R. H. E. New York ... 000 001 000—1 6 0 Washington ... 000 000 000—0 4 1 Shawkey and Nunamaker; Harper and Williams.

INDICATIONS POINT TO PHILLIES AND RED SOX AS PENNANT WINNERS

Brave Fans, However, Still See a Possibility of Having the Whole World's Series Played in Boston.

New York, Sept. 2.—While Philadelphia increased its lead in the National League race today and Boston held its ground in the American, the indications that the racers for the pennants will be between two teams in each league became more apparent.

By losing the first game of the series to Brooklyn at Braves' Field, the Boston Nationals were set back further into third place, while Philadelphia, winning two games to Brooklyn's one, slipped a little further ahead of the Superbas. However, the Braves have not been eliminated from the race and Boston fans still see a possibility of having the whole world series played in Boston.

Chicago was virtually eliminated as a contender for pennant honors by losing to Detroit today, the hard hitting Tigers taking every game of the series.

The White Sox are now eight games behind the Tigers and nine and a half games behind the Red Sox who maintained their lead over Jennings' men by taking another game from Philadelphia.

CUBS WIN FROM GREENVILLE.

Greenville, Pa., Sept. 2.—The Chicago National League team defeated Greenville 8 to 4 here today.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago ... 003 014 000—8 10 0 Greenville ... 000 220 000—4 9 1 Batteries—Adams and Hargrave; Shipe, Chaney and Hart, Kelley.

Western League.

Topeka, 6; Lincoln, 13. Denver, 12; Wichita, 7. Des Moines, 8; St. Joseph, 6.

HOW THEY STAND.

	American League.				
Boston	81	39	675		
Detroit	82	43	156		
Chicago	73	50	594		
Washington	63	58	521		
New York	56	63	471		
Cleveland	47	75	385		
St. Louis	48	75	390		
Philadelphia	36	83	303		

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	National League.				
Philadelphia	68	52	567		
Brooklyn	67	57	540		
Boston	63	57	525		
Chicago	59	60	496		
St. Louis	61	65	484		
New York	56	63	471		
Pittsburgh	59	67	468		
Cincinnati	55	67	451		

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	Federal League.				
Pittsburgh	69	54	561		
Newark	66	52	559		
St. Louis	68	56	549		
Chicago	67	59	532		
Kansas City	65	59	524		
Buffalo	61	68	473		
Brooklyn	57	69	452		
Baltimore	42	78	350		

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit at St. Louis.

New York at Washington.

Boston at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn at Boston.

Philadelphia at New York.

Chicago at Pittsburgh.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Chicago at Kansas City.

Baltimore at Brooklyn.

Newark at Buffalo.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 8.

Detroit, 8; Chicago, 6.

Washington, 0; New York, 1.

St. Louis, 4; Cleveland, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 1-0; Philadelphia, 3-2.

Pittsburgh, 2; St. Louis, 7.

Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 10.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn, 1; Baltimore, 2.

Pittsburgh, 3; St. Louis, 4.

Kansas City, 2; Chicago, 5.

Buffalo, 1; Newark, 9.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Indianapolis, 10; Cleveland, 0.

Columbus, 5; Louisville, 4.

Minneapolis, 5; Kansas City, 7.

St. Paul, 5; Milwaukee, 3.

THREE EYE LEAGUE.

Davenport, 0; Bloomington, 5.

Pearl, 5; Moline, 1.

Rockford, 0-2; Quincy, 1-10.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Waterloo, 9; Burlington, 2.

Marshalltown, 4; Muscatine, 3.

Mason City, 2; Clinton, 3.

Cedar Rapids, 8; Kokomo, 5. (10 innnings.)

TWELVE CARS QUALIFY FOR SATURDAY'S 500 MILE RACE

FOUR SNELLING, MINN., Sept. 2.—Twelve cars had qualified for Saturday's 500 mile race at the new Twin City motor speedway when this afternoon's trials had been concluded. Five cars met the necessary speed requirements today and seven qualified yesterday. It was said that possibly three other drivers would be given tryouts tomorrow.

Score: R. H. E. New York ... 000 001 000 000—1 7 1

Philadelphia ... 000 000 000 000—1 7 1

Chalmers and E. Barnes; Testrean and Meyers.

SECOND GAME.

Philadelphia ... 000 000 000 000—3 5 0

Newark ... 000 00

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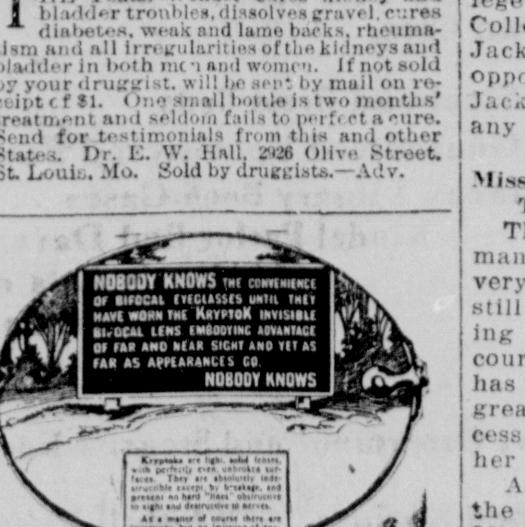
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There will be no changes in the heads of the special departments in the Woman's College this year. The College is fortunate that Mr. Stearns remains in charge of the Department of Music, Miss Walker of Home Economics, Miss Gleckler of Expression, and Miss Knopf of Art. Under these talented leaders these departments have set a high standard of efficiency, and the good work will be still further advanced the coming year.

There will be very few changes in the collegiate departments. The following are well known in Jacksonville, both as exceptional teachers in their respective departments and as most helpful and interested in every good cause in the city—Miss Mothershead, as Dean and Professor of Philosophy and Education; Miss Neville in Bible Study; Miss Cowgill in German; Miss Mary Anderson in Mathematics; Miss Johnston in Latin and Greek; Miss McLaughlin in Chemistry; Miss Jennie Anderson in History; Miss Alexander in Biology; and Miss Hull in Physics and Geology. It is a distinct advantage to Jacksonville that such teachers as these can be retained from year to year.

The departments of French and English have new professors in charge, and the College is glad to bring to its halls and to Jacksonville two women of such ability as teachers and scholars.

Mrs. Faye W. Moellering is in charge of the Department of French. Mrs. Moellering is a graduate of the University of Michigan, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. She has a life certificate in Michigan for French and German. She was for some years in charge of these departments in the University of Wooster and next in the Randolph-Macon School at Danville, Va. She speaks both French and German fluently and brings the highest recommendations both as a teacher and a woman of fine personality.

The Royal Purple degree was conferred upon three candidates last night at the regular meeting of Temple encampment No. 19. They were Joseph (Graycroft) Hert, Braswell and Ben D. Burdick. After the work appetizing refreshments were served in the dining hall by Wives of the Patriarchs.

Plans were broached for the second anniversary celebration of Temple encampment the first Thursday night in December. Plans were discussed for a membership campaign and indications are that several classes of size will be received in the near future.

TEMPLE ENCAMPMENT NO. 19 GIVES DEGREE TO THREE

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Associated with Mrs. Hartmann the College is pleased to introduce Miss Rena M. Lazette, of New York City. Miss Lazette has a beautiful soprano voice of wide range and great expressive quality and has been one of New York City's most popular church and concert sopranos. She has been soloist at the Temple Emmanuel, the Old First Presbyterian Church, the University Place Presbyterian Church and others, and has appeared as soloist with many well-known choral organizations and at such functions as the Waldorf-Astoria Musicals, etc. In addition to this activity Miss Lazette has had a large class in New York and one in New London, Conn. She is well known in Boston where she has been heard in frequent recital and as soloist at the concerts of the Harvard Musical Association. She has studied with Madame Varesi in Chicago, a representative of the old Italian method of singing, Ross David of New York, an authorized representative of Jean de Reszke, and Victor Maurel, one of the greatest of all Italian baritones. She brings to her work wide experience, great enthusiasm and charming personality and is sure to win a distinct place as a

teacher and artist. She will be a great addition to the Musical Circles of Jacksonville.

WILL CLARIFY PLANS FOR CORRECTING EXCHANGE SITUATION

French and British Financial Commissions Are on Way to New York — Do Not Regard Situation as Alarming.

London, Sept. 2.—Plans for correcting the abnormal exchange situation and putting on a stable base the entire machinery of settling trade balances between America and Europe will be clarified within the next few days on the arrival in New York of the French and British financial commissions.

Both commissions have received their instructions and are on their way. The British authorities have requested that details regarding the British commission be not discussed until the delegates are well outside the danger zone, after which all reservations will be removed and the subject opened to the fullest discussion.

Meanwhile it is known that the commissions are in a position to correct some misapprehensions which are believed to exist in the United States concerning British, French and Russian dependence on America. One of the best informed authorities said today:

"The idea seems to prevail in New York that we are on our knees and begging America to come to our assistance. The situation is exactly the reverse. America wants to sell Europe its goods and if Americans hope to continue these sales they must find a means of giving the usual credits and stabilizing exchange."

The British commissioners are fully conversant with the attitude of the government which does not regard the present situation as alarming. On the contrary the government view is decidedly hopeful as the recent success in floating the gigantic war loan has given it confidence that the largest financial problems can be readily surmounted.

MATRIMONIAL

McGovern-Vincent.

Andrew McGovern of Bluff Springs, and Miss Lottie Vincent of Beardstown were united in marriage by the Rev. John W. Priest at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The ceremony was said in the office of the county clerk.

PIN BOYS WANTED—Bowling Alley, East State St. 9-3-tf

WILL ORGANIZE OWLS.

Edward Treuter, John M. Vasconcellos, Newton Tribble, Timothy Keating and Sherman Fanning went to White Hall Thursday afternoon, where they will assist in the organization of a Nest of the Order of Owls. An organizer has been working there for some time and has a large class. Mr. Treuter is secretary and John M. Vasconcellos is a trustee of the local nest.

Lambertville Rubber Boots at Hoppers.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Ladies Aid Society of Murrayville Methodist church held an election of officers Thursday afternoon. The following were chosen:

President—Mrs. Sarah Carlson.

First Vice Pres.—Mrs. Nettie Miller.

Second Vice Pres.—Mrs. Amanda Pitner.

Secretary—Miss Lord M. Angelo.

Assistant Secretary—Miss Emma Rimley.

Treasurer—Mrs. Mary E. Kennedy.

LETTER FROM MISSIONARY.

At the mid week prayer meeting service of the Congregational church a letter was read from the Rev. Leonard R. Christian, missionary pastor of the church in Foo-Chow, China. It is probably that Rev. Mr. Christian and his wife will return next year and members of the local congregation are anticipating their coming with pleasure.

WAS GIVEN SURPRISE.

Miss Grace Hill was given a pleasant surprise at her home in Franklin Wednesday evening by about twenty of her friends. The party met at the home of Albert Alderson and proceeded to Miss Hill's home.

The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games and an elegant three course luncheon was served. Miss Hill expects to go to Winchester where she will teach the coming year.

ARRESTED FOR BREAKING HORSES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

A warrant was sworn out by Chief of Police George P. Davis against James McDaniel, charging him with breaking horses in the public highways. There has been some complaint by citizens about this practice and the warrant probably is a result of such complaint.

WILL CONFER ABOUT DISPLAY.

J. Bart Johnson went to Springfield Thursday afternoon in company with a representative of the Kimball Piano company to confer with state fair authorities about a display for the company. He expects to return today.

SOLD OVERLAND.

Priest and Iaus sold Thursday to Mrs. Louie Nergauan of Chaplin, Ill. a No. 8s Overland.

John Kolp is here from Sioux City, Iowa, for a visit with relatives. Mr. Kolp is now employed in a banking house in Sioux City.

BASEBALL AT PICNIC.

At the Zion church picnic Saturday afternoon, southeast of Murrayville, there will be a game of baseball between the Zion boys and a nine from Woodson.

New Waists

New Mitchell Dresses

Every Day Brings New Models in

Women's Smart Fall Coats and Suits

Our Ready-to-Wear Department is again taking foremost rank in its varied showing of the newest and MOST AUTHENTIC styles at this early advanced date. The charm of style originality lurks within the folds of each and every one of these garments. Conceived in such good taste, tailored with such care, the completed garment by its very perfection sinks in to a quiet unobtrusiveness while it casts about the wearer an indefinable air that we recognize as true refinement.

Suits involve a wide range of styles in broadcloths, serges, gabardines, poplins, English tweeds, whip cords, mixtures and men's wear worsteds, in black, brown, plum, navy blue, taupe and green. Many new effects are introduced this season, fur trimming being used extensively. Skirts are either plain, two-piece, flat plaited, cluster plaited, smocked or circular and usually trimmed to match the coat.

We are confident that a visit to our Ready-to-wear department will be both interesting and instructive to every well dressed woman in this vicinity. Hosts of satisfied customers returning year after year are the best testimonial to the true merits of our garments.

C. J. DEPPE & CO. Known for Ready-to-Wear

New Separate Skirts

New Fall Dress Goods

August Sale Prices

ON EVERYTHING

Majestic Ranges Only Article Excluded.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

A Good Time to Buy Blankets

50c Pair, a nice smooth, gray blanket, different sizes, 75c Pair, a heavier blanket, size 50x72, a splendid value.

Blankets at right prices all along the line to \$5.00. These are the actual sizes, you don't guess at it.

Closing Out Summer Underwear

35c Ladies silk lisle Drawers and Vests, our regular 50c grade, an 17c boy's Balbriggan shirts and drawers, mesh shirts and drawers, regular price.

79c Men's Mesh Union Suits. Colored and White Pajamas worth \$1.00 to \$1.25 all Sizes

79c yd worth \$1.00, a good grade of Black Messaline silk 35 inches wide, a good wearer.

15c and 20c pair. A new House Supporter. No pins, no buttons, no hooks, no pads, no sewing, something new look at them. The "C. m. C."

Showing New Fall Shoes



OUR Fall Shoes are all ready and we are proud to show them to interested men. We have the sort of shoes you will like to see.

We have shoes modest enough and comfortable enough for the conservative dresser, and we have shoes swagger enough for the young fellow who goes to the very limit of shoe style. Let us show them to you. Prices \$2 to \$6.

Special Children's Department.

HOPPER'S
WE REPAIR SHOES.

Scholl's Foot Appliances

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

Mrs. Susan Lockwood Porter Lived Here Many Years Ago—Had Reached 85th Year When Death Came.

Died at Charmian, Penn., in the eighty-fifth year of her age, Mrs. Susan Lockwood Porter, of Washington, D. C., widow of Charles W. Porter, and daughter of Hon. Samuel D. Lockwood and Mrs. V. N. Lockwood. The Lockwood family were residents of Jacksonville for many years. Two daughters of Mrs. Porter survive her, Mary and Harriet Porter, and also her sister, Mrs. Anna Lockwood Merriman of Boston, Mass.

The above notice was kindly sent to the Journal by Miss Martha Coffin, now of Evanston, Ill. Miss Coffin is a daughter of William Coffin, formerly of this place, and favorably known here. The Coffins lived for some years in Batavia, Ill. Miss Coffin was a niece of Mrs. Porter. Mr. William Coffin was graduated from Illinois College in 1841.

Mrs. Porter was the daughter of Judge Samuel D. Lockwood, for many years a justice of the Supreme court of Illinois, and one of the most distinguished citizens of Jacksonville and of Illinois. He was also one of the best men who ever honored the state by his presence and services. Mrs. Porter was probably born here.

The Lockwood family lived in the house at the south west corner of Church street and College, long its residence, afterward of Mr. and Mrs. Gates Strawn.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS SOON TO OPEN

BRING IN YOUR SECOND HAND BOOKS BEFORE SCHOOL OPENS AS WE HAVE MORE TIME TO EXAMINE THEM NOW AND CAN GIVE YOU BETTER PRICES. ALL OF OUR BOOK STOCK IS READY ON THE SHELVES. WE HAVE THE LISTS. COME EARLY AND AVOID FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL CONFUSION.

OBERMAYER'S

RAISES PRIZE PIGS.

Charles H. Story of the Vandalia road Thursday forenoon sold six pigs which have notable records for growth and weight. They averaged 245 pounds each at an age of six months, having been farrowed Mar. 1st. The pigs have had a range of three acres of ground and have been fed ear corn and slop made of one part oil meal and two parts shorts, morning and evening, and skim milk at night.

SCHOOL BOOKS. Bargain Book Store.

WANTED—Light driving horse for its keep. Address "Driver," care Journal. 9-3-15.

A TRIBUTE FROM PRES. JAMES

SHOCK THRESHING FINISHED IN LYNNVILLE PRECINCT

President Edmund James of the University of Illinois, formerly president of Northwestern university has paid the following tribute to the late Dr. G. V. Black:

"I first became acquainted with Dr. Greene Vardman Black when as president of Northwestern University I became responsible in a general way as an executive for the conduct of the Dental School of that institution.

"I was greatly impressed by his personality when I first met him and as our acquaintance continued it ripened into a genuine affection for him as a man. In certain lines his is the most distinguished name in annals of American science. He was a man of whom his institution, his community, the state and nation may well be proud and his passing is a great personal loss to thousands of his former students and colleagues."

FUNERAL OF DR. BLACK.

The funeral of Dr. Black will be held from the residence of Dr. Carl E. Black at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Dr. Carl E. Black received word Thursday afternoon that thirty dentists, Chicago friends of Dr. Black would leave there on a special car over the Wabash Thursday night. They will arrive here at 7:15 this morning to be present at the services.

A CHICKEN FRY PARTY.

Arrange a party and drive out to the Merritt chicken fry tonight. Get one of Cherry's comfortable rigs and enjoy the evening.

W. S. SEYMOUR BUYS DODGE CAR

Yesterday Babb and Gibbs sold and delivered to W. S. Seymour of Franklin a five passenger, thirty-five horse power Dodge touring car.

FRESH OYSTERS. BARR & HUFFMAN

IS GIVEN MISCELLANEOUS

Miss Delia Thompson entertained a company of twenty-five at a miscellaneous shower at her home on East College avenue Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Mary Longman of Woodson, who is to become the bride of Mr. Louis Pieper next Wednesday. A very delightful time was spent and the bride-to-be received many beautiful and useful gifts.

CHICKEN AND FISH FRY AT MERRITT

Friday. Plenty to eat. Everybody come. Supper served at 4 p. m.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

AT AGE OF 90 YEARS.

Mrs. Mary A. Monical of Alexander, who underwent an operation for cataract at the Springfield hospital Monday, is improving. Mrs. Monical is ninety years of age and has been blind for a number of years. Her many friends hope for a speedy and complete recovery.

FRESH OYSTERS. BARR & HUFFMAN

REUBEN V. GUNN IS MARRIED AT ORANGE CITY, IA., THURSDAY

Ceremony Said by Rev. Howard M. Jones of Wisconsin, Cousin of the Groom—Wedding at Home of the Bride Miss Christina Rouwenhorst.

The marriage of Reuben Veerin Gunn, formerly of this city and Miss Christina Rouwenhorst of Orange City, Ia., took place Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. M. Rouwenhorst. The ceremony was said on the lawn by the Rev. Howard M. Jones of Auburndale, Wis., a cousin of Mr. Gunn. The young people were attended by Miss Alice M. Gunn, sister of the groom, and William Baird of Waukesha, Wis., a college friend. The lawn and house decorations were of green and white. The bride was attired in white and the bridesmaid in green and the same color idea was carried out at the luncheon, which followed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunn are expected to arrive this evening in Jacksonville for a visit with the groom's mother, Mrs. John T. Gunn, west of the city. After Nov. 1, they will be at home in Madison, Wis., where Mr. Gunn has teaching position in the state university.

The groom was graduated in 1905 from the Jacksonville High school and after attendance at Illinois college went to the University of Wisconsin, where he took the degree, bachelor of science. For three years past he has been instructor in farm management at the university, much of his work taking him to all parts of the state as lecturer and demonstrator.

The bride is a graduate of the Home Economics school of the University of Wisconsin and for three years has taught in a girls' school at Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. Many friends in Jacksonville and vicinity and in Menard county will wish Mr. and Mrs. Gunn a long life of wedded happiness.

RURAL SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

OUR STOCK OF BOOKS AND SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR THE RURAL SCHOOLS IS COMPLETE. GET READY FOR THE YEAR'S WORK.

OBERMAYER'S

SOME AUGUST WEATHER FACTS.

The record of August weather kept by George H. Hall of Alexander indicates that August was unusual indeed. Mr. Hall declares that August 31 was the coldest day for any August month that he has recorded. The thermometer stood at 39 degrees, and the nearest to this record was 42 degrees on August 26, 1910. The mean temperature for the month this year was 68 degrees, which was 7.3 degrees below normal. The rainfall totaled 5.9 inches, which is 1.63 inches more than normal. The greatest rainfall was during the days of Aug. 20 and 21, when 3 1/2 inches of rain fell in twenty-seven hours. This excessive rainfall was preceded by a solar halo on the 19th between ten and twelve o'clock in the morning. Mr. Hall's records show that the total rainfall since Jan. 1 has been 33.82 inches. While he did not have certain evidence at his own farm, Mr. Hall says that he knows that there was a slight frost on Aug. 31, as evidences have been reported by a number of people in various parts of the country.

FINE ROADS TO MERRITT

And the chicken fry's tonight. Call Cherry's for the rig. Either phone 850.

SCHOOL BOOKS. Bargain Book Store.

MEATS THEME THURSDAY AT DAVID PRINCE SCHOOL

The preparation of tough and tender meats and leftovers was the theme of the domestic science demonstration Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the David Prince school by Mrs. L. V. Walcott of East St. Louis. The Fourth Ward Parent-Teachers' association was in direct charge. Attendance was good and the interest shown keen.

Today Mrs. Walcott will talk on "Milk, Eggs and Meats, nitrogenous foods." The First Ward association will be in charge of the demonstration. The lecture at Maple Grove school tomorrow will conclude the series.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF GAGE HATS JUST RECEIVED AT HERMAN'S.

ASK MR. FLAGGE'S RETURN.

There remain three more quarterly conferences in the Jacksonville district. Dr. McCarty, the district superintendent will go to Riggston this afternoon and will preside at the Grace M. E. church quarterly conference tonight. Saturday night he will preside at a meeting of the Meredosia charge.

A unanimous call for the return of the Rev. G. W. Flagge was made at the quarterly conference of Centenary M. E. church Wednesday afternoon and good reports were heard from the several church committees. Thursday, Dr. McCarty met with the Oxford charge for their quarterly conference.

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TO MEET PROF. BEEBE. Prof. W. E. Kritch, director of the Illinois College Conservatory of Music, left last night for Chicago to meet Prof. Paul Beebe, the new cello instructor at the conservatory.

COLUMBUS HAIRGROVE ILL. Columbus Hairgrove is very ill at our Savior's hospital. Mr. Hairgrove is in his eighty-eighth year and is a veteran of the Civil War.

THIS IS A SOFT CORN SEASON

The way to get the most out of your corn is with the silo. The season makes the silo especially valuable. Dr. Taylor declares "every silo is a monument to farming prosperity."

We Have Silos for Delivery
At Specially Low Prices.

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Exit Straws---FALL 1915---Enter Fall Hats

Saturday Is Hat Day at This Store

In every large city of the land leading Hatters have inaugurated Saturday as Hat Day.

The "American Hatter," the official organ and leading authority in Hatdom, has designated Saturday as the day when straw hats should be cast aside for the new felt hats.

Stetson's fine felts, \$3.50 to \$5.00. "The Event," Stetson's fall feature hat.

We introduce for the first time the Weber & Heilbrenner New York style hit, for which we are exclusive agents. Weber & Heilbrenner operate several exclusive hat shops in New York City, and are recognized as original style creators. The colors—pearl, seal and cricket. The price, \$3. Now showing in our windows.

MYERS BROTHERS.

FALL

ANNOUNCEMENT

Primarily our offerings for fall 1915 are intended to make the home more beautiful, comfortable, livable and convenient. Second, to inspire comparisons, if you please, with the best furniture, etc., you can find, and, third, to demonstrate that prices are based upon the actual manufacturing cost. In the points that count for long and satisfactory service, our offerings in furnishings for the home excel, because they were built to excel. We offer for your inspection the following well known lines.

Simmons Quality Steel and Brass Beds

Karpel's Guaranteed Upholstered Furniture

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Limbert's Arts and Crafts Furniture

Cadillac Desk Library Tables

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Sellers' Kitchenneeds

Sealy, Ostermoor and Stearns-Foster Mattresses

Rip Van Winkle Bed Springs. Whittall Rugs

Ornika Mills Sunfast Drapery Fabrics

Quaker Lace Curtains and Nets

Copper Clad Malleable Ranges

Buck's Stoves and Ranges

Gendron Quality Baby Carriages

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